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APPLICANT: Weiss *et al.*

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EXAMINER: Robert Hayes

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FOR: *IN VITRO* AND *IN VIVO* PROLIFERATION AND USE OF MULTIPOTENT NEURAL
STEM CELLS AND THEIR PROGENY

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TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following:

1. Petition For Correction of Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b) (2 pages);
2. Check No. 19662 in the amount of \$130.00 (petition fee); and
3. Return postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311 Ref. No.17810-705 DIV11CON. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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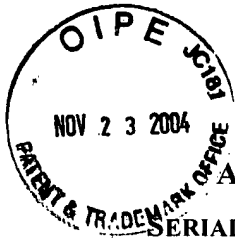
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PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b)

The above-identified nonprovisional application properly named Samuel Weiss, Brent A. Reynolds, Joseph P. Hammang, and E. Edward Baetge as co-inventors. An amendment concurrently filed with the Request for Filing a Continuing Utility Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) on August 9, 2001 resulted in the cancellation of claims so that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the instant application. Therefore, Applicants submit this Petition to correct inventorship by deleting Joseph P. Hammang and E. Edward Baetge as co-inventors of the present application.

This Petition is filed in conjunction with an Amendment and Response to the June 22, 2004 Office Action instructing deletion of those inventors who, though correctly named in the instant application as filed, are not inventors of the invention recited by the currently pending claims.

Applicant submits herewith Check No. 19662 in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the fee as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 17810-705DIV11 CON (CTI-N5 DIV11 CON).

Should the Commissioner have any questions concerning this petition, he is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

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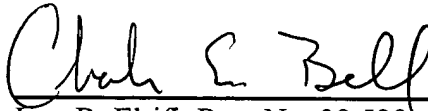
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